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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Re: Inventors: Randal J. Kaufman, Steven W. Pipe and Kagehiro Amano  
For: Inactivation Resistant Factor VIII  
  
Atty. Docket No.: 2115001184USB

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the above referenced patent application.

1.  formal / sixteen (16) informal sheets of drawings showing Figures 1A-16 are enclosed.
2.  A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status is enclosed.
- 3a.  A check is enclosed to cover the fees as calculated below. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.
- 3b.  The fees calculated below will be paid within the time allotted for completion of the filing requirements.
- 3c.  The fees calculated below are to be charged to Deposit Account No. 08-0750. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

FILING FEE	Number	Number	Basic Fee
CALCULATION	Filed	Extra	Rate
Total Claims	40 - 20 = 20	x \$22.00	= \$440.00
Independent Claims	4 - 3 = 1	x \$82.00	= \$82.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s) Used		\$270.00	=
FILING FEE - NON-SMALL ENTITY			\$1,312.00
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[ ] Verified Statement enclosed.			
[ ] Verified Statement filed in priority application.			
Assignment Recordal Fee (\$40.00)			
37 C.F.R. §1.17(k) Fee (non-English application)			
TOTAL			

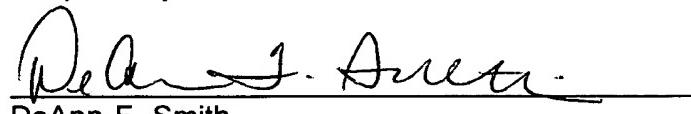
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4. [ ] An Assignment of the invention is enclosed. The required cover sheet under 37 C.F.R. §3.11, §3.28 and §3.41 is attached.
5. [XX] A signed Oath/Declaration [ ] is enclosed [XX] will be filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63.
6. [XX] **Foreign Priority:** Priority based on PCT International Application No. PCT/US97/06563, filed April 24, 1997 (which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 60/016,117, filed April 24, 1996 and U.S. Serial No. 60/017,785, filed May 15, 1996, see 9. below), is claimed.
7. [ ] A copy of the above referenced priority document [ ] is enclosed [ ] will be filed in due course, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d).
8. [ ] Because the enclosed application is in a non-English language, a verified English translation for examination purposes of same [ ] is enclosed [ ] will be filed as soon as it is available.
9. [XX] **Provisional Application Priority:** Priority based on United States Provisional Application No. 60/016,117, filed April 24, 1996 and United States Provisional Application No. 60/017,785, filed May 15, 1996, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).
10. [ ] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
11. [ ] An Information Disclosure Statement, \_\_\_\_\_ sheets of PTO Form 1449, and \_\_\_\_\_ patent(s)/publications/documents are enclosed.
12. [ ] An Establishment of Assignee's Right To Prosecute Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), and Power Of Attorney is enclosed.
13. [XX] An Express Mailing Certificate is enclosed.
14. [ ] Other \_\_\_\_\_  
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Attention is directed to the fact that the address of this firm has been designated as the correspondence address for this application.

Respectfully,

  
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I hereby certify and verify that the accompanying return postcard, transmittal letter, 37-page patent application including at least one claim and abstract, and sixteen (16) sheets of informal drawings showing Figures 1A-16 are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is (are) addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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